

# House Watch

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## FINAL PASSAGE

### [HB 4773](#)

(Polidori)

The bill would create a new act known as the False Claims Act to establish remedies and sanctions against a person who presents a false or fraudulent claim to obtain money, property or services from the state or a political subdivision (i.e., a local unit of government). It allows for enforcement by the attorney general or by a private individual. The bill would prohibit retaliation against a person who pursues a remedy under this act.

- Committee substitute H-2 was adopted
- Constan-2 was adopted
- HB 4773 advanced to 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading
- HB 4773 was passed [RC 62: 107 yes, 2 no]

### [HB 4092](#)

(Vagnozzi)

House Bill 4092 would amend the Michigan Penal Code (MCL 750.520m) to require an individual arrested for a violent felony, as defined in the Corrections Code, to provide samples for chemical testing for DNA identification profiling or a determination of the sample's genetic markers, and provide samples for chemical testing for a determination of his or her secretor status.

- Committee amendments (4) were adopted
- Condino-2 was adopted
- HB 4092 advanced to 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading
- HB 4092 was passed [RC 63: 104 yes, 4 no]

**SB 826****(Richardville)**

The bill would amend the act (MCL 445.1683) to create the seven-member Mortgage Industry Advisory Board, establish terms of members, and require it to communicate to the commissioner of the Office of Financial and Insurance Services issues of concern to the residential mortgage industry, and review and make recommendations

- SB 826 was passed [RC 64: 107 yes, 1 no]

**SB 827****(Richardville)**

The bill would amend the Code of Criminal Procedure (MCL 777.14h) to delete the provision of the sentencing guidelines that categorizes a violation of the Mortgage Brokers, Lenders, and Servicers Licensing Act as a Class H offense against the public trust, with a statutory maximum of three years. This would conform to the change in the maximum term of imprisonment for this offense proposed by Senate Bill 833.

- SB 827 was passed [RC 65: 105 yes, 3 no]